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TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. MS Patent Application Commissioner for Patents APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: P.O. Box 1450 See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Х (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) 71 3. Χ Specification [Total Pages Computer Readable Form (CRF) (preferred arrangement set forth below) Specification Sequence Listing on: Descriptive title of the invention Cross Reference to Related Applications
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Background of the Invention **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Detailed Description 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of 10. Abstract of the Disclosure (when there is an assignee) Attorney 8 X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) Information Disclosure Copies of IDS [Total Sheets 2 12. X 5. Oath or Declaration Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 13. Preliminary Amendment Newly executed (original or copy) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) Х 14 Χ (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) (Should be specifically itemized) 15. Claim To Priority Under 35 U.S.C. §119 DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). named in the prior application, 16. Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 17. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: x Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: Continuation 10/193,625 1775 Jason L. Savage Prior application information: Examiner Art Unit: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS 23353 OR Correspondence address below Х Customer Number: Х RADER, FISHMAN & GRAUER PLLC Name Ronald P. Kananen 1233 20th Street, N.W. Address Suite 501 Washington DC Zip Code 20036 City State (202) 955-3750 (202) 955-3751 US Telephone Country Ronald/PAKananen Name (Print/Type) Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 24,104 Date January 23, 2004

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